

PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICATION OF:

J. Milton Harris, et al.

APPLICATION No.: 10/634,970

FILED: August 5, 2003

FOR: PURIFIED POLYMERS FOR MODIFICATION OF
SURFACES AND MOLECULES

EXAMINER: David M. Naff

ART UNIT: 1657

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PETITION FOR 3-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant petitions for a 3-Month Extension of Time in which to file a response to the final Office Action mailed November 30, 2006 and after the filing of a Notice of Appeal (filed on February 27, 2007), extending the period for response to **July 27, 2007**.

Fee (37 CFR § 1.17(a) (3)): Large Entity: \$1020.00
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